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## GERMANS USE "LIQUID FIRE" IN NIGHT ATTACK

### French However Succeed In Pushing Foe Back Over the Ground They Had Gained

(By Associated Press)  
Paris, Sept. 25.—Liquid fire was used during an attack made last night by the Germans on the French lines in the vicinity north of Verdun. After a severe attack lasting nearly all night the French succeeded in pushing the Ger-

mans back over the ground they had gained by the use of the deadly fire. Heavy artillery fire lasting through the night was apparent from the banks of the River Meuse in the region of Bapaume woods. The Germans in this section have kept up a heavy bombardment for the past three days.

## AUTOMOBILE COLLIDED WITH A TREE

(By Associated Press)  
Windsor, Conn., Sept. 25.—One young woman was killed and five others seriously injured when an automobile in which they were going to their work this morning, skidded on a muddy pavement and collided with a tree, the machine turning over.

The girls were going from their homes in Thompsonville to a tobacco farm on the outskirts of Windsor when the accident occurred. The driver escaped without injury.

## MANCHESTER MAN KILLED IN WORCESTER

(By Associated Press)  
Worcester, Mass., Sept. 25.—George Desrosiers, living in Manchester, N. H., was instantly killed today by a train on the Plymouth street bridge.

Desrosiers is one of the late arrivals

at the Westfield cantonment and had been spending a furlough at his home in Manchester. When returning to the camp, he in company with two other companions, decided to spend the night on the bridge.

At the approach of the train the other two men jumped in time to save their lives. Desrosiers becoming confused rolled into the path of the oncoming train and was instantly mangled to death.

## TWO KILLED BY EXPLOSION OF OIL TANKER

(By Associated Press)  
Richmond, Cal., Sept. 25.—The Standard Oil tanker J. A. Morfett, in some mysterious manner exploded this morning. Two men were killed and nearly a score others injured. Sixty thousand gallons of oil that had just been pumped aboard escaped destruction. Superintendent of the Standard Oil Company at Richmond, J. F. Brooks, after making an investigation of the explosion, stated that the explosion probably occurred as a result of gas that had formed in one of the feed pipes. The men that were killed were in the act of cleaning the hose when the explosion occurred.

## FIFTEEN KILLED IN AIR RAID OVER LONDON

### Eight Hostile Planes Attempt to Take Part In the Raid but Only Two Are Able to Soar Over City

## PRESIDENT SIGNS SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—The Second Liberty Loan has been signed by President Wilson and will be returned to Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo today. Provisions governing the second loan will be made public within the next few days.

## PUT TO DEATH CHARGED WITH BEING SPIES

(By Associated Press)  
Amsterdam, Sept. 25.—Advices from the Frontier Telegraph state that thirty citizens in the town of Ghent, Belgium, have been put to death in the past two weeks charged with being spies or for being implicated in intrigues.

(By Associated Press)  
London, Sept. 25.—Fifteen people were killed and seventy injured last night, when an air raid was made over this city. Fully one half of the dead and injured were women and children. The approach by the air raiders was

made over Yorkshire and Lincolnshire. It was estimated that nearly eight hostile planes attempted to take part in the raid and that only two were able to soar over London, the others being driven off by the newly installed guns, made especially for the purpose.

## 538 MEN HAVE BEEN DISPOSED OF BY WAR BOARD

### Surplus of 34 Over Quota— Another Lost Man Appears; Hoyt to Appeal to Wilson.

The war board of District 1 in this city have so far disposed of 538 men, one way or another. At present there is a surplus of 34 men in the quota called in the district. Every man who did not request exemption has been certified by the district board at Concord and the business of the local board is well in hand up to date.

Will Appeal to President.  
Willis Lindley Hoyt of Newington, who was certified for service by the local board on Sept. 22, has notified the board that his appeal for exemption on agricultural grounds is still before the state board at Concord and if they decide unfavorably he intends to take his appeal to President Wilson. His first appeal on the grounds of being a married man were denied owing to his marriage occurring since June 5.

Another Lost One Appears.  
Crawford Gilbert who was down as one of the delinquents in the recent call, showed up today for examination and passed. He claimed that the several notices sent out by the war board failed to reach him. The board, however, classed him as one of the National Army until his exemption request is settled at Concord. He is employed at the naval hospital and claims exemption on the ground of being a government employee. Gilbert is colored and is the second man of his race to pass the doctor and be accepted by the local board.

## ARGENTINA TO BREAK RELATIONS

(By Associated Press)  
Buenos Aires, Sept. 25.—Deputies of the Republic are about to cast a vote that will literally break relations with Germany. This statement was contained in dispatches from Argentina today. It was intimated that the vote would bring the Republic into the present war would be unanimous.

## SIAM CALLS VOLUNTEERS FOR SERVICE

London, Sept. 25.—The Siamese government in a dispatch from Bangkok

to Reuter's Limited, state that volunteers have been called. It is expected that the new troops will be sent to the western front. Officers trained in Belgium will be sent to Bangkok to train the new men.

## STATE PRIMARY BEING HELD IN MASSACHUSETTS

(By Associated Press)  
Boston, Mass., Sept. 25.—Republican voters were at the polls early today to vote the primary election candidates for the state ticket. The contest in which the most interest has been centered was the nomination for office with Governor Samuel W. McCall a candidate for the re-nomination for a third term opposed by Grafton D. Cushing of Boston.

Fred W. Mansfield was the only candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor. Alonzo Cook was an unopposed candidate for state auditor.

Other state officers on the ballot for re-nomination were Henry B. Atwill, Conrad W. Crocker and Charles S. Bruce.

The sticker system was instituted at this election. Stickers bearing the names of other candidates were used.

## SOLDIERS ARE GIVEN CHANCE TO CAST VOTE

(By Associated Press)  
Ayer, Mass., Camp Devens, Sept. 25.—Hundreds of the enlisted men that have recently arrived at the cantonment from Massachusetts, were today given an unexpected opportunity to visit their homes when orders were issued from the administration building in which it was stated that all men from that state should be allowed leave for a period long enough to allow them to vote in the primary election.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity.—Fair tonight and Wednesday; little change in the temperature; north-east to east winds diminishing on the southeast coast.

Sun Rises..... 6.31  
Sun Sets..... 6.37  
Length of Day..... 12.06  
High Tide..... 5.36 am, 6.58 pm  
Moon Sets..... 11.31 pm  
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 6.07 pm

## EXPLOSION KILLS ONE AND INJURES EIGHT

### In the Newton Manufacturing Plant at Lowell, Engaged In Making Shells for the Government

(By Associated Press)  
Lowell, Mass., Sept. 25.—One man injured when an explosion in the Newton Manufacturing plant occurred today.

Harry Clubb, living in Lowell was instantly killed. Three of the other men who were wounded were rushed to the Lowell hospital where the physicians state that there is little chance for recovery.

The Newton factory is employed in making shells for the government. Little suspicion is maintained that the explosion was of an incendiary origin. Officers of the company after a careful investigation of the ruins stated that the explosion probably occurred as the result of a flare-back in the filling room where the men were weighing the explosives and packing them in the shells.

The buildings were slightly damaged

by the force of the explosion. Officers of the company ordered the doors closed as soon as the force of the impact was felt in the office. The factory remained closed during the day.

Women, some carrying children, rushed to the plant as soon as the news of the explosion had spread in an attempt to locate their husbands. Little confusion was experienced by the Lowell police who were summoned to guard the plant.

## FAMOUS BOSTON ARTIST COMING

Miss George May Morris of Boston, the famous artistic dancer, is coming to Portsmouth Friday evening to give an exhibition. The Unitarian chapel has been secured. The proceeds will go to the benefit of the Patriotic League. A committee of fourteen ladies have the affair in hand.

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# ATHENS HAS A PRIMITIVE FIRE DEPT.

(By Associated Press)  
Athens, Sept. 25.—There was a fire on the main street of Athens recently which permitted one to see the Athenian fire department in full action. First came a huge tank of water drawn by horses. There is no water from fire hydrants for water is very scarce and people are not permitted to take baths. So the fire department brings the tank of water to each fire, and the fire is held down as long as the tank holds out. Each of the tank comes one of the venerable hand-pumping devices which Benjamin Franklin introduced when he started the volunteer fire organizations in America. Still, the Athenian fire department has a good record, mainly because Athens is built of stone and cannot burn.

## KITTERY

Kittery, Me., Sept. 25.—Mrs. Charles Pratt of Cottle's Lane passed Monday in Portland.

The regular meeting of the Pheobes will be held at 2 o'clock Friday in the vestry of the Second Christian church. Instead of Friday evening. All members are requested to be present as plans for an entertainment will be talked over at this time.

Captain William C. Locke, of Locke's Cove is enjoying a thirty days' vacation from his duties on the navy yard ferry 1048, and together with Mrs. Locke will shortly leave for a visit with relatives in Massachusetts.

All members of the York Rebekah lodge are requested to please bring candy for the meeting Thursday evening. At that time there will be a fall call.

Herman Peltzold has returned to his home in Lawrence, Mass., after passing a week in town the guest of friends.

The weekly choir rehearsal will be held at the Second Christian church on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manson have returned home after passing a few days with friends in Biddeford.

George Smart of Love Lane was a visitor at Camp Devens, Ayer, on Sunday.

Arthur Rancourt of Olds avenue has returned from Rochester, N. H., where he passed the week.

Telegraph Operator John J. Galligan, U. S. N. R., of Westworth street passed today in Boston.

There will be a change of time on the York Harbor and Beach railroad on September 30.

The weekly prayer meeting will be held at the Second Christian church this evening. The text will be "My Immediate service for Christ." A large attendance is requested, as delegates to the Christian convention, to be held at Wolfboro, on October 2 and 3, will be chosen at this time.

Many from here are planning to attend Rochester fair this week.

The Kittery young men at the army campment at Ayer are quartered at Camp E.

The annual offering for education will be taken up at the Second Christian church next Sunday.

Rev. Bertram Wentworth, pastor of the First M. E. church, North Kittery, went to Boston Monday to resume his studies.

A social will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pellegrew, North Kittery, on Thursday evening.

The officers and committees of the Kittery Auxiliary of the Red Cross desire all the residents of Kittery to give the following facts their careful consideration. The Kittery Auxiliary was organized June 1, 1917. It now has 325 members, all of the membership dues are sent to the headquarters of the New England division, which are now in Boston. The Auxiliary has received \$770; this money has come from the chain of Red Cross teas given at Kittery, from the generous gifts of

# FIRST AND ONLY NEW CASTLE BRASS BAND, ORGANIZED IN 1849



New Castle, Sept. 25.—Through the kindness of Mr. F. W. Hartford, the readers of this column are privileged to see the picture of the first and only New Castle brass band which was organized in 1849. The picture was enlarged by Mr. William Newell from one of "yo olden tyme" daguerreotype variety which is the only one in existence and was obtained from Mr. Alexander White of Haverhill, who has been passing the summer at his cottage on River street. In an interview with Mr. White he vividly recalls the minute details relative to the days ago in the following interesting story. The picture was taken on the old pound-rock near Pythian hall by a traveling picture wagon and that the idea to form a band was born from the members being participants in a picnic given by the South Berwick Cornet Band at Fort Constitution and becoming so intoxicated by the excellent music and as they worked at their shoe benches the next day in the little shop which is now the rebuilt library, the aftermath of pleasant discussion of the festive day before and they said to each other why cannot we have a band? Before the close of the day's work they had formulated plans and raised the necessary money to buy the musical instruments. Calvin Davis being selected to buy the same, and purchased them on Washington street, Boston. On receiving the welcome intelligence that their much coveted prizes had arrived at the toll-gate they filed themselves there and opened the box, each man taking the instrument that looked good to him. The next problem confronting them was a teacher. Their first coming from a town in the upper part of the state. All was not fair sailing for he proved too flirtatious with "Barleycorn" and for a time they were without any instructor until Alvin Bond of Boston was

brought to their notice and he proved to be the right man in the right place, coming down twice a week and receiving a remuneration five dollars an evening, making rapid progress under his concise instruction. The names from left to right are: First row—Lowell Trefethen, bass tuba; Thomas J. Curtis, snare drum; John V. White, bass tuba; Charles White, offstage; Edwin Klinecar, base trombone; William Tarleton, tenor trombone; Joseph B. White, b-flat tenor trombone; Nathaniel Davis, cornet; John W. Neal, trumpet; 2d row, Nathan Lean, base drum; Samuel Meloon, symbols Joseph Wheeler, snare drum; Langdon Locke, 2d b-flat cornet; Oliver Amazeen, alto horn; William Trefethen, alto horn; Calvin Davis, 2d e-flat bugle; Alexander White, leader, 1st e-flat bugle. The bass drum is now the much valued property of Westworth Lodge, K. of P. The first break in the musical sieve was occasioned by the desire of Calvin Davis to take a fishing voyage. The members importuned him not to go, fearing the might be lost. Who shall say that coming events do not cast their shadows before? But he waved all their warnings aside and went down with the crew on the steamer during the great gale of October, '51, on the Grand Banks. His place was taken by his brother Amel Davis, a resident of Boston and who has been the guest during the summer of Mr. Charles Andrews and family in Portsmouth. He and Mr. White being the only living members, all of the others have answered that "One clear call." Mr. Davis is 31 and Mr. White 55 years young. Mr. White is a wonderful old man with the load of 55 years on his shoulders but not bowing; then much, and as energetic as many men a score of years his junior, and is at present engaged in painting pictures. Although Mr. White was transplanted 30

odd years ago to Haverhill he has never taken root and longs for his boyhood home very keenly. Messrs. Davis and White have not met before this summer for many years, but they have renewed ye olden tyme affiliations that blaze the track to bygone days and vanished scenes and well might sing: "We've passed through many varied scenes."

Since youth's unclouded day, And friends and hopes and happy dreams, Time's hand has swept away, And voices that once joined with ours In days of auld lang syne, Are silent now, and blend no more In songs of auld lang syne."

Mrs. Gladys Barker is sojourning in Chatham, Mass.

Mrs. Clark Richards and young son of Springfield are visiting Capt. John Amazeen and family.

Mr. Nathan White has returned from a sojourn in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Florence Kimball and son, Ellyn, after a visit with relatives, have returned to their home in Danville, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Batson are making a motor trip to the White Mountains.

Mr. Steven Wargo and family have returned from a two weeks' sojourn with his parents in Connecticut, making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. Leander White is seriously ill at the home of her daughters at Port Point.

Mrs. Myra Martin has returned from a visit in Augusta, Me.

Miss Della Courtney of York Village is the guest of Mr. Harry Le Rose and family.

Miss Blanche Whitcomb of Boston is the guest of Charles Howe and family.

Mrs. William Batson is visiting her parents in Holyoke, Mass.

passing the summer here, has closed her cottage and returned to Allston, Mass.

W. S. Palmer of Salem, Mass., was a visitor in town on business today.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Celia Dorr.

The afternoon meeting in aid of the French wounded will be held on Wednesday afternoon at the Community house. The evening meeting will be held on Thursday evening with Miss Alice Patch.

A Congregational church convention is being held today and Wednesday at South Berwick. Among the delegates from here are Rev. John A. Waterworth and Dr. and Mrs. George Trendwell.

Mrs. Henry Colby of the Noron road was a visitor in Portsmouth today.

A meeting of the Red Cross was held at the Community house this afternoon.

Mr. Merce of the coast survey left today for Onset, Mass., to begin his new duties.

## CORDON OF TROOPS ALONG THE BORDER

(By Associated Press)

Mexico City Sept. 25.—Word has been received here from General Salvador Alvarado, in charge of military operations throughout Chiapas, Campeche, Yucatan and the states of the south by that he would draw a close cordon of troops along the border between Chiapas and Yucatan, among the delegates from here are Rev. John A. Waterworth and Dr. and Mrs. George Trendwell.

The country along the border is wild and not densely populated and it is said munitions have been smuggled into Mexico without knowledge of the Guatemalan authorities. The presence of the strong cordon along the border also has served to quiet apprehension of German activities along the frontier, featured by the German coffee planters.

The Kittery Red Cross Chapter sent on Monday the following articles to the New England headquarters at Boston: Eleven sweaters, 1 helmet, 13 scarfs, 4 pairs of socks, 4 knitted bandages, 72 face wipes, 7 eye bandages, 72 abdominal bandages, 7 triangular bandages, 57 comfort pillows, 3 fracture pillows, 14 pairs bed socks, 13 hot water bottle covers, 21 suits of pajamas, 10 surgical shirts.

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The usual weekly prayer meeting will be held at 7.30 from the vestry of the Baptist church this evening.

The Community house will be open this evening for prayer meeting.

The Equal Suffrage League will meet on Thursday afternoon of this week at Miss Fisher's studio, Sea Point. If stormy, the meeting will be held on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Frisbee and Miss Ida Lewis spent Sunday in Wakefield, Mass., calling on Mrs. Frisbee's brother here.

Miss K. M. Blake returned to her home in New York on Monday after passing the summer at the Parkfield hotel.

Edwin J. Henselstein from Camp Fitchburg, Mass., made his last visit to Kittery Point at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott before going to France. About 12 of his friends greeted him before a big wood fire at Garrison Island, who bid him God speed.

Miss Jean Boyd and Mrs. Henry Tuck closed their residence on the Crockett's Neck road today and have returned to New York.

Mrs. Ernest Gordon who has been

## THIRD OFFICERS TRAINING CAMP

Washington, Sept. 24.—A third officers' Training Camp will be held the first of January, and the men to be chosen will be non-commissioned officers and men from the army cantonments.

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Sept. 15, 1917.

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If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is usually a sign of acidity in the stomach.

Get from your pharmacist a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches or dizziness. This will all go, and besides there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin helps to neutralize the excessive acid in the stomach which is causing the food fermentation and preventing proper digestion. Relief in five minutes is waiting for you at any drug store!

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to usually keep the entire family free from stomach acidity and its symptoms of indigestion, sourness, dyspepsia, gases, heartburn, and headache, for many months. It belongs in your home.

## JUDGE PUTNAM HAS RESIGNED

Portland Sept. 24.—Judge William LeBaron Putnam of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals has resigned. Continued illness and advanced age have incapacitated him for service for a year. He also has resigned as trustee of Bowdoin College and has withdrawn from all other offices and business connections. Judge Putnam was appointed district court judge in 1892.

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## Dr. Goodall's DENTAL ANNOUNCEMENT

1861—Fifty-Six Years of Active Practice.

In July I wrote a dental and musical "ad" which was headed, "Dr. Goodall is now at the Zenith of his good name and record, both in dentistry and music." I now write another and perhaps my last dental "ad." Why? you may ask. Because I have arrived at the age when I expected to retire from dentistry and sell out my office, plant and fixtures and good will. I shall now, therefore, take this occasion to thank most heartily my patrons, patients and friends in Portsmouth and adjoining towns of Greenland, New Castle, Rye, Kittery, Newington, Cape Neddick and Wells, Me., for their liberal patronage for the last 56 years; also the U. S. S. Government navy and army officers and sailors on all the U. S. S. cruisers and men of war that make Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard their home port. I have had a large business on nearly all the many vessels which have remained here for docking or repairs. I also for several years had a good contract to do all the dental work at naval prisons. I intend to sell out to a good reliable dentist to whom I can cheerfully recommend my old patients here in the city and the adjoining towns. I intend to devote my whole time to teaching Vocal Music and Diaphragmatic Breathing or Deep Breathing, which all great singers have to learn and practice, and it is also excellent for health and eugenics, wards off pneumonia both in the young and aged. I shall fit up a special music room where I can receive my pupils. I sing solos for all occasions, weddings, funerals, clubs, and possibly do evangelistic work on Sundays, singing and preaching for a supply. So I hope to be busy as ever, only a change to my new departure which will be highly congenial and I trust remunerative also. So I wish all my old patients who have been satisfied with my professional work would be able to have me do any additional work in my specialty of Artificial Dentistry. Old style block gum teeth which are the most natural and are hardly ever detected when Dr. Goodall has selected the appropriate shade and tooth for each individual. So I have but three months to give to dentistry and possibly I may sell out sooner. So get busy and remember "First come, first served." This is all that is necessary for me to say, only Goodbye Dentistry and welcome all the good and beautiful music which I love so devotedly.

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The Ideal and Economy are the best two sellers.  
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GOOD LUCK RUBBERS, ECONOMY TOPS,  
PATENT CANNERS,  
PAROWAX,  
PRESERVING KETTLES,  
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# CREATE WOMAN SUFFRAGE COMMITTEE

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Sept. 24.—The creation of the committee on Woman Suffrage was passed by the House this evening by a vote of 157 to 107.

# BASE BALL

American League  
Boston 3, Chicago 0.  
Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 4.  
Detroit 8-6, Washington 3-2.  
National League  
Boston 2, Cincinnati 2, 13th.  
Chicago 4, Brooklyn 2.  
New York 4, St. Louis 1.  
Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 0.



# AUTO STOLEN AND DESERTED AT NEWBURYPORT

## Albert O' Toole Has a Busy Afternoon From Ice Cart to Auto. Car Recovered and O' Toole Locked Up

Albert O'Toole was a very busy man on Monday afternoon and evening, the greater part of which he passed on the broad highway between this city and Newburyport.

Albert who has been employed for several weeks by the Small Ice Company, as a helper on an ice cart, was on Vibird street around 2:30 Monday afternoon. He applied the automobile of Lieut. James Parker Jr., U. S. N., who resides at the corner of Vibird street and South road, and telling his partner on the ice wagon that he was going to take a ride, he stepped into the machine and drove off.

Later Lieut. Parker discovered the loss of the car and notified the local police, who at once wired the surrounding towns that the car had been stolen and to be on the lookout.

Early Monday evening they got tip that O'Toole had taken the car and much to their surprise located him on his ice wagon on Congress street. At the police station after a grilling by Chief Hurley and Deputy Ducker, he

admitted that he had taken the car and had left it outside of Newburyport on the Turnpike.

He had started for Boston, but when about five miles out of Newburyport he had battery trouble and he deserted the car, secured a ride into Newburyport and came back to this city, found his ice cart and went to work, as though nothing had happened.

With Captain Wells of the Montana, Lieut. Parker, Chief Hurley and Deputy Ducker, O'Toole was taken in. Captain Wells' machine back over the road through Newburyport and sure enough about five miles out on the Turnpike they found Lieut. Parker's car just as O'Toole left it.

The car was brought back to this city and O'Toole also came back and was locked up charged with larceny of an automobile. They arrived back shortly after eleven o'clock, so that since 2:30 O'Toole had been over the road to Newburyport just four times. He is about twenty years of age and claims to belong in Boston, and he has been working here for several weeks.

## AMERICAN PACKING COMPANIES UNDER INVESTIGATION

Washington, New Zealand, Sept. 24.—The operations of American packing companies represented in New Zealand are at last under official investigation. The special committee of the Dominion house of representatives, which is charged with inquiry into the activities of the so-called American meat trust, has held its first session.

The investigation is the outcome of months of outcry and agitation in New Zealand by farmers, organizations, politicians, and newspapers. Perhaps the most determined and energetic assailant of the "American packers" has been W. D. Lyman, ex-Mayor of Glenborne and prominently identified with a New Zealand refrigerating concern. The general charge against the American Meat Trust is that it is surreptitiously taking advantage of the abnormal conditions due to the war to gain control of the New Zealand meat trade for after-war purposes, and that it is allied with a shipping ring which manipulates meat freights.

The committee of inquiry intends first to confer with department officials and then to take the evidence of representatives of refrigerating plants. Just before the first meeting of the committee, of which he is a member, the Prime Minister, William F. Massey, said of the investigation:

"We are going to inquire into the position to the very bottom. It may be necessary to continue the investigation after this session of parliament, in which case, the committee will be constituted a royal commission."

## MARTIAL LAW HAS BEEN ADOPTED BY THE GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press)  
Athens, Sept. 24.—The proclamation of martial law, which is now in force by royal decree, has been adopted by the government as a means of dealing with the elements which continue to agitate in behalf of the old royalist regime of King Constantine. It is a drastic measure, suspending the constitutional guarantees of free speech, speedy trial and pleading; the capital and section of southern Greece comprised in Attica and Boeotia in a state of siege, and giving to the military instead of the civil authorities the safeguarding of public order.

On the abdication of Constantine most of his ministers and chief officers were exiled or deprived of their functions. But it was impossible to make a clean sweep of all those friendly to the old regime, and many of the leaders including prominent military men, remain at Athens. It is said they hold meetings at two points, one at

Kapissia, a suburb, and the other at Athens, where plots are hatched and the eventualities of Constantine's return looked forward to. While the new administration has a firm hold of affairs, and is in complete accord with the Entente Allies, yet the Entente officials feel there is still danger in the old military element which continues to agitate with the public, and is even said to have some of its representatives in the entourage of the new king.

Martial law is expected to reach these military plotters. It is also expected to put a stop to the flood of sensational rumor which keeps the ignorant classes and the peasantry in a continual state of unrest, with the evident purpose of making them believe that a German victory and the return of Constantine are near at hand. Some of these reports were of the fall of Verdun, the flight of the French government from Paris, and a separate peace by Russia. The gov-

ernment and the allied diplomats are satisfied that all this is part of a systematic campaign by which the Central Powers are operating through the element favorable to the late king.

An American official closely in touch with recent events tells how a report circulated that an American fleet was coming to support King Constantine. This report was widely believed and had been printed as a fact in the local press. One of the king's household met the American minister, Mr. Droppers, and said:

"At last we are to have the American fleet."

"Indeed," said the American minister, "when is it coming?"

"Very soon," he passed Gibraltar; we have telegrams from that point."

"I am sorry to differ with you," said the minister, "but I don't believe the fleet is coming."

"Why not?" demanded the royal official.

"Because," said the minister, "if an American fleet is sent to Greece the American minister will be one of the first to know it."

This put an end to the report that the fleet was coming, and it brought about considerable coolness toward the American authorities. It is this sort of rumor, for political effect, that martial law will seek to stop.

The rigors of this martial law are indicated by the rules issued by the Commandant General of the Athens district. One of the prohibitions he lays down is as follows:

"The communication in any public manner, by exposure, opinion, or information, of anything likely to increase in the eyes of the people the idea of the necessity or to diminish our force or that of our allies, or which will attribute too much importance to the dangers of war and the losses it involves, or inspire fear or uncertainty among the people or in the army, or doubt upon its efficiency, or upon the necessity to consent to all sacrifices in view of this issue."

Another prohibition is against expressing any "hope or tendency in favor of the reversal of the present regime." This sweeping measure puts an end to any open plottings by the old regime, but it remains to be seen to what extent they can carry on their work in secret.

## ANTHRAX IS SPREADING THROUGH WEST

(By Associated Press)  
Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 24.—Charles Keene, state veterinary declared today that an epidemic of anthrax which has effected the cattle of one county, and he feels assured that the germs are being spread systematically by German agents.

## LYNN SHOE FACTORIES OPEN

Lynn, Sept. 24.—The 30 shoe factories closed since April 18 opened this morning. At each a number of cutters reported and were started at once cutting out uppers and preparing for the stitchers. It will probably be several weeks before all departments in each factory are fully employed.

There was no demonstration in any plant. The employees had received notice that the agreement prepared by Henry D. Endicott had been signed by the manufacturers and labor leaders, and that the shops would open and business proceed as usual.

When there was not sufficient work for all who reported, preference was given to those longest in the employ of the concerns, and the others were told that soon as conditions warranted they would be put to work.

The manufacturers stated that many orders for shoes had recently been canceled because the jobbers and wholesalers felt that Lynn would be unable to fill them. With everything now ready efforts are being made to again secure these orders, and the traveling salesman report prospects good for a large business.

## TOWN DRAWS AN OIL SUBSIDY

Mexico City, Sept. 23.—A decree issued by President Carranza gives a subsidy of 3 1/2 centavos a ton to the municipality of Tuxpan on all oil shipped from that port for one year. The decree gives as the reason for this subsidy that the municipality has not profited as it should from the petroleum industry the taxes from which go to the state and federal government while the opening of the oil fields has killed the fish in the river and retarded agricultural development.

## RAID LONDON FROM AIR

(By Associated Press)  
London, Sept. 24.—Hostile aeroplanes raided the southeast end of London this evening and six were killed and 20 wounded. The attack which lasted for forty-five minutes, came from the Essex and Kent coast, fol-

## BIG DRIVE FOR SOLDIERS LIBRARY

### SOME OF THE SOLDIERS' NEEDS

Washington, Sept. 24.—The big drive of the Library War Council to raise \$1,000,000 to provide libraries for American soldiers and sailors began today. Every city and town in the United States had been organized to raise the money, with the minimum contribution asked from each community based on 5 per cent of its population.

President Wilson made a substantial cash donation last Friday and at the same time autographed a number of book plates to be placed in the books purchased with his contribution.

The Library War Council, appointed by Secretary of War Baker, of which Frank A. Vanderlip, the New York financier, is chairman, met in New York last Wednesday and formulated final plans.

After the \$1,000,000 has been subscribed work will start on the library buildings as soon as is practicable. Every camp and cantonment will be provided with a library 40 by 120 feet. New York Asked to Give \$250,000 for Libraries.

New York, Sept. 24.—This city has been asked by the library war council to contribute \$250,000 of the \$1,000,000 fund to provide books for American soldiers and sailors the week's drive for which began today throughout the country.

"One dollar will supply and care for one book for a year," said Frank A. Vanderlip, chairman of the council.

## FUNERAL SERVICES OF REV. DR. ROBIE

The people of the town of Greenland paid a fitting tribute to the memory of their venerable pastor and townsman, on Monday afternoon when the funeral services were held for Rev. Edward Robie D. D., the aged and universally loved pastor of the Congregational church of that town.

The services were held in the church of which he was pastor for sixty years, probably the longest record ever recorded in this country, and it was packed to the doors, not only with the townspeople but from this city and surrounding towns, including a number of ministers of this city and vicinity.

Rev. L. H. Thayer D. D. of this city had charge of the service and he was assisted by Rev. Alfred Gooding of this city and Rev. Samuel H. Dana of Exeter, all close friends of Dr. Robie. The Masonic quartette of this city rendered the musical program which included "O Paradise," "If I Leadeth Me" and "Still, Still with Thee."

The eulogy was delivered by Rev. Alfred Gooding of this city and it was a touching tribute to the long life and wonderful service of this truly man of God.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Allen Odell, Edward Libbey, Edward Weeks and Stephen Weeks. Interment was in the family lot in the Greenland cemetery, under the direction of J. Verno Wood.

## NEW ENGLAND MEN GIVEN THEIR PRELIMINARY DRILLS

(By Associated Press)  
Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., Sept. 24.—New England men that completed the forty-five per cent to arrive at the cantonment were busy today with the preliminary drills and the first physical examinations. At the Quartermaster's department the men that have arrived during the last week were given their new outfit of clothing.

A bayonet school has been formed and the men will be trained in this art after instructors can learn the rudiments. The new class is in charge of Major Reginald Barlow, Commander of Battalions in the 362d regiment.

One officer from each company reported at the school today to receive

instructions. After they have mastered the art they will in turn act as instructors for the men at the camp.

## DESPITE THE GREAT AMOUNT OF KILLING THAT THE GOOD WOMEN OF THIS CITY AND VICINITY HAVE BEEN DOING FOR THE RED CROSS AND NAVY LEAGUE, THERE IS STILL A WONDERFUL DEMAND FOR SWEATERS, HELMETS AND OTHER WARM KNUIT GOODS FOR THE SOLDIERS AND SOLDIERS. TAKE FOR IN- STANCE, THE BOYS WHO WILL LEAVE THIS CITY AND WHO ARE ALREADY AT CAMP DE- VENS. PROBABLY NOT A BOY HAS A SWEATER AND THE WEATHER IS STEADILY GROWING COOLER AND UNCLE SAM CAN NOT GET THE NECESSARY WARM CLOTHING FOR THE MEN.

For instance, overcoats are being made as fast as possible, but it will be months before all of the men can get them and there is nothing that takes its place better than a sweater. There will be when the full quota from this city is at Camp Devens, 75 men from this district, the greater number from this city, and it should be the work of the local Red Cross to see that every man in that seventy-five is fitted out with a sweater, a helmet, and a pair of warm stockings. This is not very much of a job the local Red Cross has already sent away more than that number and in addition hundreds of hospital garments etc.

The Red Cross will furnish the yarn, and there is no more patriotic work for any woman than to demand enough of that yarn to make at least one sweater for a soldier, then after that is done, get the habit and make another for the sailor and soldiers who are serving the country.

Another thing that has been called to the attention of the people of this state, and that is at Camp Devens, Ayer, there are just two states that have no fund for the men of that state, Maine and New Hampshire. Massachusetts has over \$3,000 already to purchase the small comforts that go so far to make the life of the soldier under training so much easier. Col. Spofford, U. S. A., who has the Maine and New Hampshire men in his regiments, says that certain money is very necessary to secure things for the men that the government does not provide, and can not provide at present. Furnishings for the barracks, for other than a cot and the necessary blankets to keep warm with, there is nothing else provided. Chairs, tables and other equipment, money for games, cards, checkers, etc., and in fact all of the little comforts so dear to everybody, especially in the winter months.

Mayor Ladd has undertaken to furnish this city's proportion, \$250, by the last of this week and so that it may be a popular subscription, it has been started at \$2 and the majority of the sums received are \$1. This city should easily provide this sum and anybody at City Hall will be glad to do the collecting for the fund.

The men of Maine and New Hampshire have been paid the compliment of being assigned to the heavy artillery, for it is figured that the men from the smaller states with the larger proportion from the rural districts, that the men will be huskier and in better physical condition to stand the tedious grind of heavy artillery in a modern war. This great war has proven that without the heavy artillery, in fact all artillery, but especially the heavy, that the infantry losses would be far greater and that to be successful, means a preponderance of the heavies.

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Portsmouth Red Cross will be held this afternoon and some of the measures taken to provide for the men from this district. The question of changing the present working plan from a Branch to a Chapter, is also under consideration. The National body favors Chapters, rather than Branches and New Hampshire and Vermont are practically the only two states that stick to the old plan of a state chapter and branches. For the cities, although Manchester is a Chapter.

The Hague, Netherlands, Sept. 25.—Gloomy pictures are being drawn here of the agricultural outlook in Holland as the result of the stoppage of food exports from America. The acuteness of the position has been enhanced by a poor hay crop and the small farmer in particular is faced with the greatest difficulties.

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## COMMISSIONS FOR RIGHT MEN

(By Associated Press)  
Boston, Sept. 24.—Commissions for one major, five captains, nine first and seven second lieutenants, are available for New England men in the new engineer division which will shortly leave for France to cut lumber for the armies of England, France and the United States. They are men who have good knowledge of lumbering and men who have had some care of men.

## A REVOLUTION PLANNED BY KIDS

(By Associated Press)  
Emh, Okla., Sept. 24.—A revolution of two million men, backed by the I. W. W. and kindred other organizations, was planned to terrorize the country. Small cities were to be burned; a general reign of terror was planned. This is according to the testimony of William Hoover the state witness today at the trial of the eleven men charged with evading the draft.

## NAVY YARD WORKMEN STRIKE

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 24.—5000 men employed in the various shops at the navy yard here, went on a strike today pending the readjustment of the wage scale.

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## The Care of the Soldiers.

At a time when so many of the soldier boys are being called to the training camps it should be very comforting for the friends at home to know that they are to have as comfortable quarters as it is possible to provide for an army. Necessarily the soldiers will have to forego some of the comforts and luxuries of home, but they are to be provided for better than an army was ever provided for before and will have much to be thankful for and nothing of which to complain.

The people of Portsmouth and this state cannot fail to be interested in the condition at Camp Devens at Ayer, Mass., where the New Hampshire troops are quartered with those from Massachusetts and other New England states, and some from New York.

This great cantonment is described as a marvel of convenience and comfort. It is in reality a newly-built city with accommodations for more than 40,000 men. The buildings are comfortable and will be heated with steam. The rations are all that could have been expected, and more. There are amusement tents and a canteen, there is good fellowship and everything to prompt the young soldiers to do their best in preparing for the great work that is ahead of them. And Camp Devens is not an exception, according to reports from other cantonments, all being such as to leave no room for criticism.

This liberal provision for the physical comfort and well-being of the soldiers while under training shows wise foresight on the part of the government. These thousands of young men are some day to go across the water to take their places on the battle fronts, and when they arrive there they will be in a condition to perform the task that awaits them. They will be strong physically and will have been trained in the ways of warfare as it is now conducted. Every man of them will be fit and ready for the service he is called upon to perform.

War is a serious business at the best, but some of its hardships are eliminated by such care as our soldiers will have in training and at the front, for the government will follow them clear to the battle lines with every facility for their care in health, in sickness or on the cots of the wounded. There will be no parsimony in maintaining the welfare of the American army. The soldiers will do the fighting, and the forces behind them are ready and willing to do the rest.

This is a thought that should be very comforting to the parents and friends of the boys in the ranks. They will have hardships enough, but will be called upon to bear none that can be obviated by abundant resources and human sympathy and skill.

Barrels of oil and automobile tires have been used of late as means of smuggling whiskey into "dry" territory, but both tricks have been exposed by the vigilance of officials. It will be a long time, however, before the authorities will be able to prevent it from being taken over the lines in the stomachs of believers in "personal liberty."

Secretary Daniels excludes from the navy all tattooed sailors in spite of the fact that some of the best gunners in the country have in the course of their careers been "decorated" with India ink. But if the war lasts long enough this ruling may be changed. It will be difficult for the average layman to see sense in it.

Some time ago a man was arrested in the far West for libeling George Washington, and now they have hauled a man up out in Indiana for libeling Abraham Lincoln. But it will probably be difficult to prove that the characters and reputations of these two American statesmen have been injured in the least.

That the railroads of the country are rushed with business is certain. It is reported from New York that in the last four months the Railroads' War Board has reduced the car shortage 78 per cent. And still there is complaint of the lack of transportation.

England wants Congress to send a delegation of its members to the British fighting front, the party to go as "guests of the British people." But it is not congressmen that are wanted at the front. The situation calls for a different class of men entirely.

Government surveys of the potato crop indicate that it will not come up to expectations. It is said the crop in Maine will be only about 66 per cent normal. And when Maine falls down on potatoes it will be useless to look for very low prices in this part of the country.

That old couplet, "If I was so soon to be done for, I wonder what I was begun for," applies with peculiar force to the Kornblow rebellion.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

No Stomach For Sea "Victories".  
(From the New York World)  
When asked recently by a representative of the Zurich Zeitung if he believed that a sea fight between the Entente fleets and the German fleet in the near future was possible, Admiral Scheer, chief of the German admiralty, smilingly replied: "That depends absolutely on the British." Imprisoned in German ports, the German fleet is still repeating, "When will the British come out?" It is over fifteen months since the Germans ventured a trial of strength in the Skagerrak battle, and since that boasted "victory" they have not dared to seek another.

The Men, Not the Machines  
(From the New York Times)  
"The war will be won," said Major General Leonard Wood, addressing his contingent of the National Army in camp, "by well-trained and well-disciplined men." That is the essential fact. Unless we can produce in time the needed millions of men who are not only willing and physically fit, but have been thoroughly disciplined and trained, we cannot win. Not 16-inch field guns and high explosive shells, snipers and machine guns and tanks, airplanes and their bombs, Admiral Fisher's aerial torpedo or Mr. Edison's many inventions, can win; it must be the men. We have men in sufficient quantities, but as a nation we have hitherto lacked sense of the need of discipline; while we have neglected military training, which we must never neglect in the future, until the last moment. We are beginning well to atone for our neglect. The country responds nobly to the call. Secretary Baker says we shall soon have 2,500,000 men under arms. But when we have a full million thoroughly trained and well-disciplined men we shall be warranted in feeling secure. Not until then.

Stand Up Against Conspiracy  
(From the Boston Transcript)  
So far as the Boston papers, seized a year ago by the Government, and in part published yesterday by the State Department, implicate Irishmen and Irish societies in secret German activities, there is this to be said: that the Prussian Irish are but a minority of the people of that race in this country; that the ranks of the volunteer soldiers of America and of liberty are full of young men of Irish blood, willingly and with splendid spirit offering themselves on the altar of their country; and that all Irish societies and organizations now have an opportunity, of which they should gladly avail themselves at once, to declare and prove their loyalty and their support of the righteous war in which our country is engaged. Let these organizations show at once how they are meeting the acid test suggested by Rev. James S. Cassidy, of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Fall River, in his address to the National Army soldiers in that city, published in the Transcript on Sept. 16. Father Cassidy said:

All tribes and kinds and tongues and colors for one reason or another have taken up their abode within the confines of these United States and have here enjoyed, if they would, every right and privilege of a free people dwelling in a land of rare opportunities and undeveloped natural resources. America has been called the melting pot of nations. Now is content of the kettle tested. Now shall we know whether we are a united nation or a conglomeration of unassimilated and unamalgamated and easily separated units. Now shall we know whether it be ever possible for us to make war with unanimity. Now shall we know upon whom we may depend in any future struggle. Now shall we know those who allow their love or hatred of any other country to make secondary their allegiance to the Stars and Stripes. Now, in a word, shall we forever settled whether the people of these United States, born where you will or under what flag you may, can be Americans first, last, always and forever.

The time has come for the Irish societies to say under what flag they stand—whether with the country of their people's refuge and of the pride of their youth who have sprung to arms in that country's defence, or whether with the Cobdenites, Devoyites and O'Learys, with the Bernsteinists and Von Papens, with the plotters against America's integrity and welfare, with the oppressors and murderers of the Belgian people. They should speak at once, and with no uncertain voice.

This also is to be said, that the revelations of Bernstein's and the other Teutonic representatives' corrupt use of American societies opposed to the war as a means of influencing, or seeking to influence, the action of Congress, should be a warning to all American citizens to have absolutely nothing to do with pacifist or anti-conscription societies or organizations—all or any organizations whose interest is international and not national. Some of these societies, whether consciously or unconsciously, are doing the work of the enemy. There is not one of them which the common enemy is not capable of using in some way for his abominable purposes. To join them, is to become either the agent or the dupes of the enemy of our country. The time has come for every citizen to decide which side he is going to work for in this great contest. He cannot remain passive. Those who are not for us are against us.

Once to every man and nation comes the moment to decide, In the strife of Truth with Falsehood,

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for the good or evil side. So our own poet—the man who once had said, "As for war, I call it murder"—wrote when the crisis of the slaveholders' aggression came upon our nation. The erstwhile pacifist Lowell eschewed pacifism utterly when the country was in danger. A similar duty lies upon all citizens today. Let them keep out of the Bernsteinian "organizations that you know of." These are of poisonous influence and significance just now. The country has but one business in hand. It is to win the war for civilization and liberty.

## TAKES NEW JOB WHICH PAYS \$1 A YEAR

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—Frank A. Vanderlip, president of the National City Bank in New York City, one of the largest banking houses in the U. S., has resigned his position at the head of the institution to accept a position that will pay him one dollar a year. Mr. Vanderlip has accepted Sec. of the Treasury McAdoo's request to be the chairman of the war service committee.

The newly appointed committee will oversee the work connected with the second Liberty Loan and other international financial affairs during the period of the war. On the receipt of Sec. McAdoo's letter, Mr. Vanderlip at once requested the board of directors to grant him his own time during the period of the war, stating that he wished to do his bit. The following day he reported at the capitol ready to accept his new position at one dollar per year.

## ADMIRAL SIMS MAKES REQUEST OF NEWSPAPERS

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Sept. 25.—Admiral Sims, in command of the American destroyers in Europe, has issued a request that all newspapers refrain from publishing any news concerning the American fleet in Europe unless the news is authorized by him personally.

In issuing the request Admiral Sims stated that several items had been credited to him that he had never seen, neither had he known of them until he had seen them in the papers. Some of the articles were apparently given out by officers.

A copy of the request and several of the clippings that Admiral Sims had taken from the papers that were credited to him and that he had never seen were sent to the Capitol.

## TO AID ENGLISH WOUNDED

Mrs. Lansdell Howard of Keene Represents the Queen Mary's Needlework Guild.

To the Editor of the Herald.—At the request of Dr. Spring-Rice, a relative of the British ambassador at Washington, I have undertaken the post of representative for New Hampshire of the above named guild, and am anxious to get in touch with the British people resident in this city.

The guild is the central depot in London, England, for collecting and distributing all kinds of hospital supplies for the British wounded, among whom are many thousand French wounded, whom France is unable to care for. When it is remembered that nearly three times the population of Keene arrives in England every week, all wounded and in need of care, I am sure that no British person residing in this country, and enjoying all the comforts of home and the safety of their families, through the splendid work of our brave soldiers and sailors, can turn a deaf ear to our appeal.

I, myself, my family, and a few kind friends in Keene, have been working for the guild during a year and more, but we have sought no publicity or outside help, except what has been freely offered, because we did not wish, in any way, to interfere with the activities of the Red Cross, or the French War Relief. Now, however, the need in England is growing, and the people over there are no longer able to contribute for everyone is giving every shilling they can spare.

I send a case of supplies during the first week of every month and shall be delighted to include any donation, however small, from a packet of cigarettes to a pair of sheets or pajamas. A working party meets at my house every Tuesday, from 2 till 5.30, at which I shall always be glad to welcome any British subject or sympathizer, who comes accompanied by a thumb.

A bridge party is being arranged to take place at 69 School street, the residence of Mrs. G. C. Hill, who has most kindly placed it at my disposal for the evening of Tuesday, Oct. 2. Tickets can be had from me. Light refreshments will be served.

The guild is under the personal supervision and presidency of Queen Mary of England. I shall be only too glad to supply any further information, either personally, by letter, or over the telephone, No. 2684V.

MRS. LANSDELL HOWARD, 133 School Street, Keene.

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## RED CROSS WORK OF RELIEF TAKES SHAPE

Washington, Sept. 25.—H. P. Davison, Chairman of the Red Cross War Council, announces the receipt of the following cable from the Red Cross commission to France:

"Along that desolate path of ruin behind the French and British lines from Belgium to Switzerland, the American Red Cross work of relief and economic rehabilitation under Edward Byro Hunt, Chief of the Bureau, has rapidly taken shape. Returning refugees and repatriates have earth under them and sky over them—that is, all. The land has been swept clean.

"Twentieth Century Frenchmen have to begin again where North American Indians would begin—by hunting for food, temporary shelter, a few clothes to cover them, a handful of household goods and utensils such as pots, pans, knives and spoons, an agricultural implement or two, and perhaps a rabbit and some chickens, and, if they are very lucky, a goat or a donkey.

"It is to help such people as these that the American Red Cross has located its relief warehouses at strategic points just behind the lines, such as Soissons, Noyon, Ham and Peronne, and is shipping in food, clothes, blankets, beds, mattresses, stoves, kitchen utensils, reapers and binders, mowing-machines, threshing machines, garden tools and hundreds of other articles of prime importance to people who were prosperous and contented only three years ago. The service of relief and economic rehabilitation has divided its field into six districts:

"One for the extreme north and Pas de Calais; one for the Somme; one for the Oise; one for the Aisne; one for the Marne and Meuse; one for Meurthe and Moselle.

"Resident American delegates have been assigned to these whose duties are to oversee distribution of relief, to report new needs, and to co-operate in every possible way with the admirable relief work of the French Government and scores of devoted French and other organizations."

## NAVY NOTES

Torpedo Boat Disabled  
Secretary Daniels was notified Monday that a torpedo boat engaged in patrol duty off the Virginia Capes was disabled by a breakdown in its engine room and had to be towed into port by another patrol boat. The accident was due to a leaky water tank.

Government Takes Tugs  
The tugs Concord and Mariner employed in moving coal between Chesapeake Bay ports and New England, have been taken over by the government. Tug Mercury, owned by the Boston Tow Boat Company, has been sold to the Neptune line of New York and will be operated between New York and Boston in the towing business.

Rear Admiral Buffington Dies at His Summer Home

Rear Admiral George B. H. Buffington, retired, formerly commander-in-chief of the Massachusetts naval militia, and for fifteen years manager of the Fall River Evening Herald, died yesterday at his summer home at Craigville. He was 53 years of age and a native of Fall River.

His military career began in the land forces of the state and dated from Feb. 21, 1883, when he enlisted in Co. M, first regiment of infantry, M. V. M., in which he served until June 6, 1885. His subsequent service was in the naval militia, which he did much to build up. Joining Company P, of the naval brigade on Sept. 30, 1892, he was chosen as ensign, December 30, 1894, lieutenant junior grade, April 16, 1895, and became chief of the company, Jan. 10, 1898. On May 4, 1900, he was named by the line officers of the brigade as lieutenant commander of the second battalion in which position he served until Nov. 5, 1900, he was selected chief of brigade, succeeding Captain William E. McKay. During the Spanish war he was watch officer on the U. S. S. Prairie and the ram Kataladin, being honorably discharged from the U. S. service, August 1, 1898. His retirement from the rank of rear admiral with the naval militia was in 1907.

Working for Uncle Sam.  
Richard Cooney, for many years employed as a cooper at the Portsmouth Brewing Company, has taken a position at his trade on the local navy yard.

Enlistments in Navy.  
Total enlisted men, Sept. 20, 143,264; not paid Sept. 21, 98; total enlisted men Sept. 21, 143,362.

## POLICE COURT

Albert O'Toole, Boston, the man who appropriated the automobile of Lieut. James Parker, Jr., U. S. N., on Monday, which he left stranded on the roadside at Newburyport, was before Judge Guphill in the municipal court today charged with larceny of the machine and pleaded guilty. He made a statement in which he said he did not intend to dispose of the machine and simply took it for a ride. The court ordered him to recognize in the sum of \$200 for his appearance before the grand jury in October. He was unable to secure bail and went to jail. O'Toole came here a month ago and little is known of him. His presence here was reported to the Boston police to learn if he has any previous record.

## PLAN TO ENCOURAGE EMIGRATION OF NATIVE LABORERS FROM INDIA

(By Associated Press)  
London, Sept. 25.—A plan for encouraging the emigration of native laborers from India to British Guiana, Trinidad, Jamaica, and Fiji announced by the British government is expected to result in the permanent settlement of many thousand East Indians in each of these four colonies, three of which are close enough to the Atlantic seaboard of the United States to make the project of neighborly interest to the American people.

The object is to provide a fair substitute for the abolished system of indentured or contract East Indian labor. In some countries to which Indians used to go under the indenture system, their coming led as it was bound to lead in the end, to serious trouble. They were white communities which wanted the labor of the East Indian but did not want him as a settler.

It is claimed that there was and is no question of that kind in the case of the four Crown Colonies selected as areas for the new settlement scheme. They each possess already large and prosperous Indian communities. Their industry is tropical and depends on Asiatic labor, which they have been accustomed to obtaining from India without any sense of grievance on either side.

Laborers who enlist under the new plan will serve a probationary period of three years' employment in their new homeland, before being invited to become land-holders. During this probationary period of employment under government supervision, they will be trained and fitted for the new conditions of life, at the same time affording the colony the benefit of their labor.

On first arrival the immigrant will undertake work for a period of six months under selected employers. He will then be free to move from one employer to another at a month's notice being encouraged to work for the ensuing two and a half years in agricultural industries by the offer of a good many benefits subsequently as a colonist. At no time will he be under any indenture or contract, the relation between him and his employer being exactly as that prevailing in the colony between any employer and employee.

For the protection of the immigrants the government will decide who may or who may not employ them. A fair minimum wage will be fixed and will be revised every five years on the basis of change in the cost of living.

As soon as the worker has completed three years' employment, he will have the choice of returning to India or becoming a permanent settler. If he chooses the latter the land will be put at his disposal by the colonial government.

The emigration from India of whole families will be encouraged as far as possible, particularly of families containing young unmarried girls who may become in the colonies the wives of other immigrants.

The British Front in Saloniki, Sept. 25.—This is the story of how the geese of Kal-Zir gave the warning and saved a British detachment.

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Then one evening the orderly officer set out from the camp on his bicycle to visit two outposts up the river nearly two miles from the camp. It was very dark. As he neared the sentry he heard the movement of wings, and distinguished flock after flock of ducks flying from their night rest among the reeds.

"Looks odd," he remarked to the sentry. Then to a sergeant, "I'll take one man go down the path and have a look."

The officer and his orderly dismounted and listened. They could discern in the swamp a long line of men in single file.

The raiders were two hundred strong under the command of a German officer. They kept to the path until just before it came into a clearing. They then started to attack. At that moment the British officer fired four shots. Immediately a light over the British camp appeared. There was a moment's silence and then a roar of fire. The raiders were bunched close and must have had fifty casualties in the first fusillade. They made no attempt to resist but made for the maize fields.

The first person picked up was the German officer in charge of the enterprise, who had been hit in the thigh. Altogether there were 25 dead and 68 wounded, while 35 more surrendered during the morning at different places and more kept giving themselves up for several days. Probably not more than five or six ever got back to the Bulgar lines.

The result of his investigation was a circular to commissaires of police, calling upon them to enforce the regulations and prosecute every person speculating in copper money and to send to police headquarters the names of every employee of any public service refusing to make change.

There has been a regular market for coppers at the Place Gambetta where subway employees and other collectors bring sou's and double sou's in rolls and dispose of them at a bonus of 10 per cent. The buyers get back the premium they pay for this small change and make an additional profit of 15 per cent through illicit exportation to Switzerland. Though French paper and silver money is at a discount there, copper money, curiously enough, passes at par, which has provoked the systematic traffic that the police propose to stop.

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## SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

The American Library Association under the War Department has addressed a letter to all libraries of the country, setting forth the need of libraries and reading matter in the cantonments and larger encampments where sailors and soldiers will assemble.

It is desired to raise the sum of \$1,000,000 in cash for this purpose. The quota allotted to Portsmouth is \$600. Money and subscriptions will be received at the Public Library.

May the proverbial patriotic and liberal spirit of our community respond to this most worthy call. Sums from \$1.00 up gratefully received. The campaign for this purpose will last a week, and a quick response will materially assist the committee.

HANNAH G. FERNALD, Librarian.

## AUTOS CRASH AT KITTERY

A motor car from Maine and another from Rhode Island collided on the highway bridge over the Boston and Maine at Kittery Junction on Saturday.

One woman was considerably shaken up in the crash. Both cars suffered considerable damage.

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## ITALIANS SLASH EACH OTHER WITH RAZORS

## Two Men and Woman at Hospital as Result of a Dispute Over an Italian Dance on Russell Street

Lugi Filama, aged 25, and Charles Maligna, aged 40, with Mrs. Lugi Salvargio are at the Portsmouth Hospital. The two men on the dangerous list as the result of a cutting affray on Russell street shortly after midnight Saturday night.

As far as the police can gather, Lugi Salvargio who resides at No. 86 Russell street, gave a house party Saturday night in honor of his wedding which had taken place some weeks ago. Along toward midnight the most of the guests had departed, when Lugi Filama and Charles Maligna got into a dispute as to who was the better interpreter of the Italian national dance. They evidently could not agree and refusing to submit it to arbitration

they adjourned to the street. The time honored stiletto was discarded and the razor was the weapon decided upon for the duel. Just how many razors there were in operation has not been decided, but from the looks of Maligna and Filama and the street after they had been over the tops a few minutes, it would indicate that at least two were in operation and very busy.

Filama with a gash in his abdomen, staggered down the street until he encountered officer Hewitt who hustled back to get Maligna. In the meanwhile Mrs. Salvargio had attempted to interfere and she was cut about the arms. Maligna had his nose almost cut off and he had several decorative slashes

on the face and forehead as well as cut about the arms.

All three were hustled to the hospital and Dr. Pender called. Filama had a gash several inches long in the abdomen and it was necessary to remove a portion of his intestines before the wound could be closed. Maligna had to have the biggest part of his nose sewed on and several stitches in other cuts.

Mrs. Salvargio's cuts were painful but not serious and she will be discharged from the hospital soon.

Later as a result of the story told Chief Hurley by the men, Lugi Salvargio, at whose house the party was held, was arrested and he is held pending the result of the men's injuries.

Maligna claims that he was set upon by Salvargio and Filama with a razor and that he simply defended himself. He charged Salvargio with doing some of the cutting and Filama also admitted that Salvargio was in the mix-up, but whether he got in after the men got started the police are unable to learn.

Despite the loss of blood Filama has a fair chance of recovery, unless complications set in, while Maligna's wounds are not necessarily fatal, although he lost a lot of blood.

## LOCAL DASHES

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.

Vello automobiles. C. E. Woods, men welcome.

Wilson's orchestra is as entertaining as the biggest and best shows.

Monday morning was the coldest of the season and there was a heavy frost during the night.

Lobsters and fresh fish or all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

Experienced packers of wedding presents, silver, china, cut glass, furniture, etc. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

Don't miss the classy concert by Wilson's orchestra tomorrow evening at Freeman's.

Quite a number of the summer residents who have remained late at the nearby beaches took their departure for home on Monday morning.

The Fall and Winter Styles of Millinery will meet with most hearty favor. A visit to Mrs. C. H. Clough's on Congress street, opposite the Public Library, will be of unusual interest and profit.

The platoon of police that headed the parade of citizens and recruits on Friday morning last, have been receiving many compliments from our citizens for their fine appearance and marching.

Charles Sheehan, teacher of dancing as it is done in the dance hall today, is ready to give lessons private or in class. Popular prices. Call or write to 100 Bennett street.

The Warren Brothers expect to start concrete on Islington street this morning. They are not getting a supply of crushed stone but a break in an important part of the concrete mixer has delayed the work.

Antique furniture restored and upholstered. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

The shipbuilding plant at Newington attracted many of our citizens on Sunday who were surprised at the amount of work that had already been accomplished.

The October term of the Superior Court and that of the United States District Court will be held here next month. The docket for both courts indicates a busy session.

Mrs. E. M. Fisher invites you to inspect the new modes in Fall and Winter Millinery, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 26 and 27, 343 State street.

Jack Lawrence, the two-year-old son of Captain Lawrence of the Salvation Army strayed away from home on Sunday and was found in a yard on Daniel street. He was taken to the police station where he was entertained by Chief of Police Hurley until his sister called for him.

Tomorrow evening, Freeman's hall, Wilson's greatest N. E. orchestra. Concert 8 till 9; dancing till 1 o'clock; balcony only, 10c.

On Saturday evening two soldiers from the fort at New Castle were seen to remove the brass eagle from the front of Arthur B. Duncan's automobile which was standing on Daniel street near J. Verne Wood's undertaking rooms. Mr. Duncan was notified of the theft and Officers Philbrick and Mulholland were soon on the scene. Several soldiers who were in the vicinity were questioned but denied the theft. The stolen piece of metal was later found and returned, having been dropped by the offender when he found it was getting too warm.

## MILLINERY OPENING

Miss E. M. Niles will open her millinery rooms to the public on Sept. 26th and 27th where she will display her pattern hats. Rooms will be open during Wednesday evening.

## NOTICE.

All Sunday trips on Portsmouth-Newington Bus Line will be discontinued after Sunday, Sept. 23. h s24, 3t

## BORN AT THE HOSPITAL

To Major and Mrs. George L. Hicks of Fort Constitution on Saturday, a son.

LOST—On road between Jenness and Hyo Beaches, a Gladstone bag; reward if returned to the Kearns hotel, Portsmouth. h s24, 2t



In both soft and stiff hats you'll find here all the newest and correct shapes. The soft hat display offers a wide range of colors for your selection. Prices, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00. We've also a very large display of fall caps. The "one piece" top is a strong favorite this season. We show it in some very handsome and stylish Scotch cloths. \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.

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Is important from a business as well as a comfort standpoint. A well shod foot will carry you far. Our fall styles are ready, there are so many of them that we will satisfy every man who comes—with looks, with fit, with price.



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Good because they are built for growing feet, with as careful workmanship as shoes for grown-ups. Because of these facts our shoes are insured to give good service for the greatest length of time.

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Fifteen New Speed Records Demonstrate Chalmers Perfect Performance

The 15 New Chalmers Records Officially Approved by the American Automobile Association

NEW MILE RECORDS							
1 mile	44.37	4 miles	2:54.61	15 miles	10:58.55	50 miles	36:12.93
2 miles	1:27.44	5 miles	3:37.83	20 miles	14:30.30	75 miles	54:32.45
3 miles	2:11.80	10 miles	7:16.80	25 miles	18:15.67	100 miles	1:12:10.17

NEW TIME RECORDS			
1 hour	83 miles	12 hours	957 miles
24 hours	1893 miles		

Traveling farther and faster than any human being has ever traveled on land, sea or air in 24 hours, Joe Dawson in a stock Chalmers Speedster Chassis has smashed all Speedway records by covering the astonishing distance of 1898 miles in a twice-around-the-clock race against time on the Sheepshead Bay Speedway.

The old twenty-four-hour record was 1819 miles, held by a Hudson. Chalmers bettered this wonderful mark by 79 miles.

The old one-hour mark of 77 miles, also made by a Hudson, the Chalmers bettered by six miles.

The 100-mile record, also held by a Hudson stock car, is 80 minutes, 21.40 seconds. Chalmers covered this distance in 8 minutes, 11.23 seconds less time.

The 12-hour mark of 923 miles made by a Hudson was bettered by the Chalmers which ran 957 miles in 12 hours—34 miles farther.

The contest Board of the American Automobile Association has approved and accepted these performances as official records. The trial was made under its supervision and was timed with the automatic electric timing device.

CENTRAL AUTOMOBILE AND SUPPLY COMPANY, CHURCH ST., PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Great as was the performance of the Hudson in establishing such wonderful marks, the achievement of the stock Chalmers Speedster chassis was all the more wonderful, particularly because of its motor piston displacement of 224 cubic in. This test of endurance is conclusive evidence of the economy of the small, powerful Chalmers motor.

1898 miles in 24 hours—that is approximately the distance from Chicago to San Francisco.

In the first hour the Chalmers covered 83 miles; in the twenty-fourth hour over 81 miles; and for the entire distance the average was 79-1/12 miles per hour.

Any engine that can travel at this terrific speed day and night for 24 hours on a day that averaged 90 degrees in temperature and without the slightest mishap is certainly an engine to marvel at.

For sheer endurance, for ability not only in speed but in sustained speed, this performance is without equal in history; and yet it is a regular stock Chalmers engine.

Come and see the Autumn and Winter Chalmers—there are eleven of them.



## YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE

If cross, feverish or bilious  
give "California Syrup  
of Figs."

No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given.

If your little son is out-of-sorts, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food, and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative", because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the bowels and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

## NAVAL PRISON OVERCROWDED

The Welfare League methods of Lt. Thomas Mott Osborne, in charge at the naval prison, are meeting with difficulties, because new men are coming into the prison so fast. This is caused by the enlarging of the navy since war was declared. At present there are about 700 men confined there, which exceeds by more than 100 the limit of the prison's accommodations. It has been decided recently to quarter the marine guard in the marine barracks at the navy yard, thereby making room for 300 more prisoners. The recent opening of the Charles Town Navy Yard prison, closed more than five years ago for sanitary reasons, has brought no relief in the situation.

It is a question for Secretary Daniels of the navy to decide what shall be done with the court-martialed men of the navy. The men are continually coming in from fleets and several shore stations. It is understood that about 150 men are awaiting action of court-martial boards at the New York navy yard and about the same number at the Philadelphia navy yard. The only other naval prison of any consequence is the San Quentin prison in California. If the rush of court-martialed men does not abate soon the navy may be forced to put the prison big Southern, now used at the yard as a training ship for the naval reserve men, back into commission. Lt. Osborne when he was warden of Sing Sing prison in New York made great success with his welfare league methods and when he was assigned to the Portsmouth naval prison early this year he came with the understanding from Secretary Daniels that he was to have a free hand in using his methods.

### JAIL SENTENCE FOR ASSISTANT POSTMASTER

Portland, Me., Sept. 25—Seward E. Emmons, assistant postmaster of Lewiston, was arraigned before Judge Hale here this morning and pleaded guilty to embezzlement of \$1229. Through his counsel he pleaded for a fine rather than a jail sentence, representing that restitution had been made, that his wife and child would be the real sufferers by his imprisonment. Letters from prominent Androscoggin county

people asking for leniency were also presented.

## WILL ARRANGE REVISION OF AGREEMENT

(By Associated Press)  
Tokio, Sept. 25—The Nichi Nichi claims that Viscount Ishii, now in the United States will seek to effect a revision of the Root-Takahira agreement or arrange some new convention or understanding concerning the Far East with a view to preventing any misunderstanding in the future.

## NORTH KITTERY

North Kittery, Sept. 25—Over 75 attended the apron party and peanut hunt at the new building of the People's society last evening. A short, but pleasing program was rendered by local talent and a storm of applause greeted each selection.

Piano player ..... Mr. Harry Hussey  
Solo ..... Miss Marion Lewis  
Reading ..... Miss Muchmore  
Quartet ..... Four young ladies  
Reading ..... Mrs. H. H. Cook  
Solo ..... Mr. Clifford Picott  
Piano player ..... Mr. Hussey  
Reading ..... Miss Helen Pursh  
Reading ..... Miss Muchmore

During the evening, games were played and ice-cream, cake and coffee were on sale.

Many from Kittery, Portsmouth and Elliot were present and all expressed their intention of being present at the annual harvest supper of the Ladies Union, Tuesday, October 2.

The need of a home department in connection with the Sunday school has been brought out by the Rally day activities, and as those becoming charter members organize and elect their own officers, it is hoped that they will file their names with the secretary of the Sunday school at once, if information regarding this important part of the Sunday school is needed a card to the secretary will bring your personal attention at once. There is a great field open for a home department and it means much to those unable to attend the Sunday school. Give it your careful consideration.

The Rally day activities are in full swing this week and the chairman of the day is looking forward toward seeing one of the largest Sunday school gatherings ever held in the town of Kittery. The membership of the Sunday school has increased to 51 and it is hoped that Rally day will double the number. Personal efforts towards making the day a success and benefit to all are being made by the chairman and the committees.

### LYNN MAN TELLS OF SHIP'S FIGHT WITH U-BOAT

W. A. Dearborn of 870 Western avenue, Lynn, who was one of the crew of a steamer that was torpedoed recently by a U-boat off the Irish coast, returned home last night. He said that the steamer and the submarine exchanged shots, eight shells being fired from the steamer and that the German boat sank after one of the German shells had wrecked a rapid-fire gun on the deck of the steamer. The steamer, he said, suffered considerable damage and was towed into port.

### MAINE JUDGE DIES

Belfast, Me., Sept. 25—Harry M. Bangs, judge of probate of Waldo county, died suddenly yesterday. He was born at Hampden in 1879, graduated from the University of Maine College of Law in 1907 and lived in Portland and at Freedom.

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## ARGENTINE NAVY MOBILIZES NEAR BUENOS AIRES

Buenos Aires, Sept. 25—Mobilization of the Argentine navy has been ordered at a rendezvous 37 kilometers from Buenos Aires. There is also unusual military activity in the republic.

Although this is ostensibly due to the general strike, a high official said that the general staff has its eyes open to "other necessities."

The question of a rupture with Germany is still being widely discussed by members of the Argentine congress and the public in general, despite Germany's recent notes. Many of the deputies say they no longer have confidence in Berlin because of the government's disapproval of von Luxburg's despatches. It should have taken action against the minister, and not waited until after Secretary Lansing's revelations to express its disapproval.

The cabinet and deputies do not yet consider the question closed and there is widespread disapproval by the newspapers and deputies of the personal guarantee sent by Dr. Luis B. Molina, the Argentine minister of Berlin that Germany would keep its promises.

It is learned that the general staff since the beginning of the Toro incident has had the matter of mobilization and that the war plans have been completed and campaign commanders appointed. If there is a declaration of war, it is declared, Argentina will send two divisions to Europe and will not be content with a passive attitude. The men and equipment are ready for almost immediate embarkation if the necessity arises and the allies in that event would be asked to furnish artillery.

## SAID ALCOHOL WAS FOR WIFE'S BATH

Portland, Me., Sept. 25—Although he declared that sixteen gallons of alcohol which he had brought into Maine from New Hampshire was to be used by his wife for alcohol baths, Roger L. Thaxter, son of a wealthy Portland grain merchant, was indicted by the grand jury of the federal court here and was fined \$50 by Judge Clarence Hale.

Although Thaxter's trouble is over regarding the alcohol so far as the federal authorities are concerned, he has appealed from a decision in the municipal court where he was found guilty by Judge Samuel L. Bates, fined \$100 and costs and sentenced to 60 days in the county jail.

Thaxter was arrested by the county officers and was later arrested by the federal authorities and an indictment returned against him by the grand jury.

## PROPERTY OF THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT

(By Associated Press)  
Rome, Sept. 25—War has driven attention to the fact that the great Protestant cemetery in Rome, where are buried many distinguished foreigners including poets, Kents and Shelley, is the property of the German government, and the rentals for the plots therein are still paid to the German agents.

More than a century ago, Prussia was the only non-Roman Catholic power represented at the Vatican. Therefore, it was Prussia, which obtained the concession for a cemetery to be used for the bodies of those, not of the Roman faith, and the property still remains in the hands of the German government.

Prominent foreigners here are now urging that the Italian government should take over the cemetery and put it under British protection.

## NEXT MASS. QUOTA STARTS OCTOBER 3

The second 40 per cent quota from Massachusetts will begin to leave for the emigration at Ayer on Wednesday, October 3. Governor McCall received a telegram to this effect yesterday from Provost-Marshal General Crowder, its text being as follows:

"Send forty per cent of your quota to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., beginning October 3. The American Association of Railroads will furnish you schedules showing the specific dates on which instalment from each of the boards are to move. This instalment is to be composed exclusively of white men."

### SAYS GERMANS OFFERED \$30,000 EMBARGO BRIBE

Chicago, Sept. 24—J. J. Tobin, chancellor of the Chicago Law School, and practical head of "The Friends of Peace," was offered \$30,000 last July, the purpose of which was to procure an embargo on munitions and freedom

of the seas. The money was also to be used to influence sentiment in this country in favor of peace with Germany.

The statement was made by Dr. Tobias today following the expose of the German peace plots in Washington. The offer came from a man who gave the name of D. J. Thyme, who claims to be a banker from Stockholm, Sweden.

Not only was this big sum offered, but the 2400 which the big convention of the Friends of Peace of Medinah Temple, Sept. 6, 1915, was financed, was raised by 25 local Germans and German-Americans according to Dr. Tobias and the thousands of dollars which supplied funds for the organization's enormous mail propaganda came from a German committee in New York.

## ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE SOLDIERS

London, Sept. 24—Eight official army theatres regularly supplied with comedy, melodrama, musical comedy and vaudeville, are to be established by the Entertainment Department of the Canteen Board for the amusement of the British soldiers.

In time, if the war continues, it is possible that this list will grow. It is the aim of the authorities not merely to provide the soldiers with good acting, but to conduct the theatres on a business basis, and hand something over to the Central Regimental Institute Fund.

At present a repertory company is on tour of the army and navy camps and stations and melodrama and musical comedy companies have been recruited to entertain the fighting men. Vaudeville troupes are being organized. There is a common charge at all the theatres of six cents for the cheapest seats and twelve cents for the front rows. At the "second house"—for the theatres are run on the "twice nightly" system—a few rows are set apart for officers and sergeants.

### AIRPLANES AND AIRSHIPS RAID ENGLAND; KILL MANY

Hostile Craft Swoop Down on the East and Southwest Coasts—Attack London.

London, Sept. 25—The east and southeast coasts of England were attacked by German air raiders before and after midnight. One squadron of hostile airplanes attacked the south-east coast last evening. According to the official announcement the raiders came in different places in Kent and Essex. A few of them followed the Thames and attacked London. Bombs were dropped at several points. The casualties so far reported are six persons killed and about 20 injured.

The raid on London occurred between 8 and 9 o'clock, and lasted about 45 minutes.

British airmen engaged the raiders, but with what results is not yet known. The Germans used a number of aerial torpedoes.

Hostile airships early this morning appeared off the coasts of Lincolnshire and Yorkshire. An official announcement says the raid is still in progress and that no details have yet been received.

Thousands of chemists throughout the country are now waiting word from those in charge of the ammunition of our fighting men at the front to undertake the task of removing from every foot of coal gas its contents of poison, one of the most powerful explosives, so that our troops may be protected by the most lavish use of high explosives, according to a statement made tonight at the opening of the convention of the national exposition of chemical industries.

Dr. C. H. Herthy, chairman of the exposition advisory committee, in a speech opening the exhibit, emphasized the imperative need of pouring a flood of high-power ammunition to the front as rapidly as possible, contending that such action is necessary if we are to win the war.

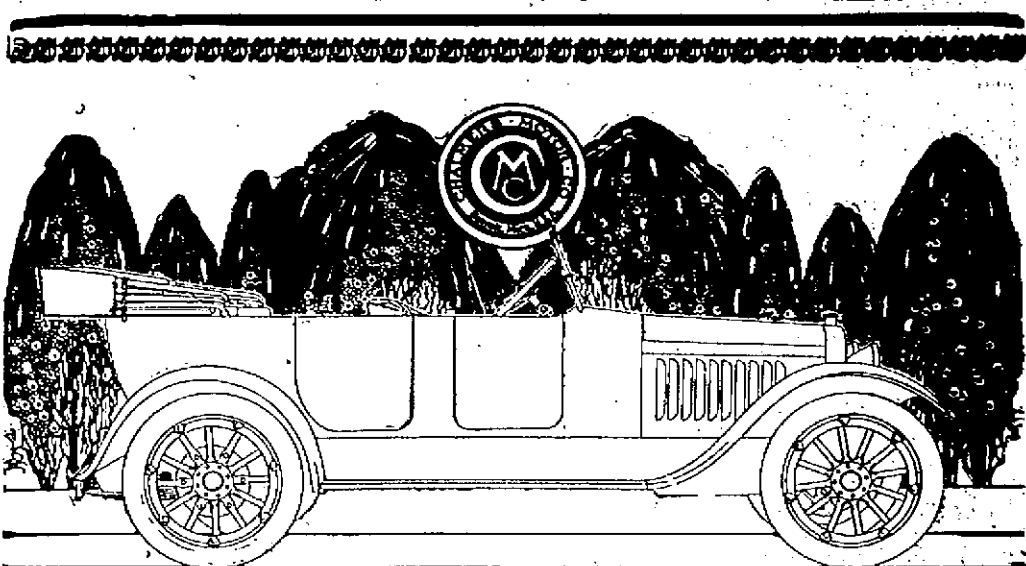
### WOULD HAVE MINISTERS PREACH AGAINST GOSSIP

Boston, Sept. 25—The Rev. Howard Bridgman addressed a conference of Congregational ministers in Pilgrim hall Sunday, speaking on "What and How the Ministers Should Preach This Autumn." He urged them to make a definite aim to promote harmony in homes, good feeling between employers and employees; to preach against luxury and indulgence and "admonish the sewing circles to refrain from gossip." The Rev. G. H. Hubbard appealed for more interest in the Boston Seamen's Friend society. The Rev. Dr. E. H. Byington presided.

### DID HE WALK?

Owen O'Leary who was in Concord a few days ago has reported to Portsmouth to be examined for the draft, proving that he was not a slacker. O'Leary was called several weeks ago but no notification reached him, so he claims. He first walked to Concord from some point in Massachusetts and then hiked to Portsmouth—Concord Monitor.

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## ELIOT FIRE DEPARTMENT DO GOOD WORK

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### BELIEVE GUNNER'S MATE WAS VICTIM OF MISTAKE

New York, Sept. 25—A coroner's inquest will be held Thursday into the death of Henry C. Gunn, a chief boatswain in the U. S. navy, who was in charge of the recruiting station in the land battleship "Hercules" in Union Square and who died Sunday from injuries he received when he was attacked by soldiers and civilians at a rally in Brooklyn Saturday night after he was accused of shooting a demagogue of the United States, the flag, and President Wilson. Navy officers declared today that Gunn had a spotless record of 29 years in the navy and expressed the belief that he was the victim of a mistake. They do

not think he made the declarations attributed to him by the crowd.

Thomas F. Tully, a private in the 23d New York Infantry, has been arrested in connection with the attack. Gunn is survived by a widow and four children, who live in this city.

### ATTEMPT TO WRECK ROCKPORT TRAIN

The police are puzzled as to the motives of the would-be train wreckers who placed a 750-pound iron iron railing in the path of the 3.15 train from Boston to Rockport, Mass., last

Saturday. The rail was placed on the track a mile and a half east of the Gloucester station on the Boston and Maine.

The train was going slowly and was stopped when it struck the rail and the damage was slight. The cow-catcher was smashed and several ties ripped up. If robbery was the purpose, the police say, the wrong train was selected, as the one that hit the rail had no express car.

Mr. Louis Taintor of Boston was the guest Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Eastman on Pleasant street.

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# CROWN PRINCE'S FORCES ASSAULT VERDUN IN VAIN

## Attempt to Recapture French Position. Russians Make Some Gains

(By Associated Press)

Violent attacks by the soldiers of the German Crown Prince on the new French position northeast of Verdun on Monday were repulsed by the French with heavy losses to the attacking Germans. The assault began with a heavy bombardment by the artillery at Bois La Châtelles followed by violent infantry attacks, but at no place other than the center of the line did the Germans reach the French lines, but they were unable to take any trench.

On the Alsne line only artillery action is reported with no infantry. In Flanders there is very little infantry work but the duel between the artillery is heavy and almost continuous. There has been fighting of some in-

tensity around Lens, which followed heavy artillery fire.

On the Riga Dvinsk front the Russians continued their efforts to drive the Germans back and Petrograd reports that they have forced the Germans back near Silzene. Booty taken at Jacobstadt is officially reported by the Berlin war office to have been considerable including bread and food stuff.

There has not been any material activity on the Bainsizza front, but northeast of Trent near Marmolada, the Austrians have failed in their attack to recover some of the ground lost.

Argentina is mobilizing her navy and there is much military activity in evidence. This may be due to the fact that there is a general railroad strike,

but it has more significance than that. The Argentina legislators do not consider the diplomatic relations with Germany at all settled.

## HOLLAND'S FOREIGN CREDITS

(By Associated Press)

The Hague, Netherlands, Sept. 24.—There is \$200,000,000 worth of foreign credit paper now in the Netherlands, according to the Minister of Finance, Mario Willem Frederik Treub. In a small country like this, such a quantity has only been digested with difficulty, and the absorption of further accounts is becoming so difficult as to threaten serious interference with the country's foreign trade and economic welfare.

The question constitutes a complicated problem for the government. Bankers refuse to go on piling up their stocks of this paper, not because they doubt its soundness where proper guarantees are secured, but because they do not desire to tie up too much of their liquid resources, on which there is likely to be a big call when the war is over.

That means that the farmers and dealers cannot go on taking German and British treasury bills in payment for their goods, and apparently neither Germany nor Britain want to pay in cash. But a stoppage of the country's export trade would upset its entire economic machinery and result in big damage and loss.

The government is attacking the problem in conjunction with its plan for centralizing the entire exports to the country in the hands of a semi-official company, the Central Export Bureau. The bill to establish such a body, and invest it with the requisite powers, has passed the Second Chamber of Parliament.

The Central Export Bureau would accept foreign Treasury paper in payment for exports, in so far as such exports are not balanced by supplies of coal, iron and other commodities. On the other hand, it would issue bonds, preferably to the Dutch farmers and dealers who export their goods by its mediation. Such exporters can then obtain bank loans on these bonds. Holland's central banking institution agrees to accept these securities, and the government guarantees it against loss thereby to an amount of \$5,000,000. The creation of a special export bank is also provided for. The Dutch exporter would thus get his payment in the form of bonds of the semi-official bureau instead of in the form of foreign Treasury bills, and foreign credits and connected matters would be under the more direct control of the authorities.

Minister of Finance Treub has strongly opposed the view of parliamentary critics who have expressed fears concerning the solvency of belligerent powers in case of a prolongation of the war, and consequently of the soundness of some of this foreign credit paper. He said belligerent countries already had been taking soundings in regard to an appeal to neutral money markets after the war, which was an extra reason for honoring their obligations in full.

By far the largest part of the foreign credit paper held in Holland apparently is German, and Holland's financial claims on Germany, it is contended, threaten to become so great as to make the small creditor far too dependent on his debtor.

## BROKE THE RULES NOW DEAD

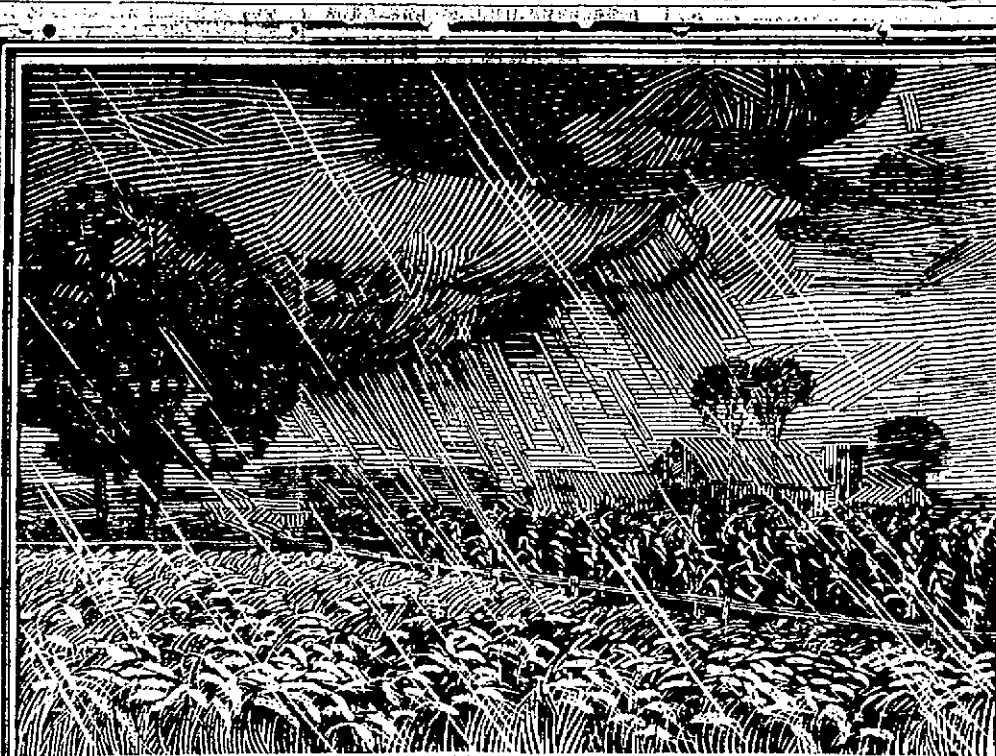
Paris, Sept. 25.—The forbidden practice of bringing German ammunition to the rear as souvenirs has just caused another fatality. Louis Caux, aged 15 was trying to disconnect the fuse of a German shell smuggled into Paris by a "belle" on leave. The projectile exploded, blowing the boy and the apartment to bits. The soldier is liable to prosecution for involuntary homicide, as well as for an infraction of the rules.

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## SIGNAL CORPS OF MODERN WAR

Behind British Lines in France, Sept. 24.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—The nickname "Flag-waggers," by which men of the Signal Corps are still known to civilians, has long since been discarded in the army, which has substituted the title of "Buzzer."

In the picturesque days of yore the signaller did choose some lofty eminence, and there wiggled out his messages with a flag or whirled his aching arms through the graceful movements of semaphore, but these days are no more. The close proximity of the German and the accuracy of the snipers have made opportunities for these methods as rare as week-end leave, and the signaller now has his dwelling underground and works in the dark after the fashion of the mole.

The signaller also has his "beat," like a metropolitan policeman. He must make periodical tours of inspection of the complex of wires under his jurisdiction, watching to see that nothing goes wrong with his slender lines of communication. In the trenches the wires run along the sides of the trench about twelve inches from the bottom, just above high water mark, at which height they are comparatively safe from being dragged out of place by the diverse equipment that hangs round the infantry soldier like toys on a Christmas tree.

The number of wires that grow up in an ordinary trench in the course of a few weeks is amazing. "There are only nine here at present," remarked a Signal Corps officer apologetically, "but this is a new trench; wait till the runners open up a few Observation Posts,—the place will look like a hen-run then."

The nine wires led after various doctours to the "Battalion Headquarters Signal Office." This proved to be a roomy dug-out with wires entering it from every direction. A small flag hung over the doorway.

The whole place is alive and business-like. Here a clerk is receiving

messages for transmission; there another is dispatching incoming messages to their addresses by runner; in one corner a private is entering up the signal register, in another a second is making notes in the office "Log."

Along the far end runs a rough table with a row of men seated on a bench before it, while a droning sound like the humming of bees fills the air around. This is where the Field Telephone has its quarters—that famous little instrument on which, according to popular humorists, the gilded staff call up in the middle of a bombardment to inquire how many jars of raspberry jam have been issued to a unit, or to demand a count of the Baptists in "A" Company, just as the third wave is going over the top.

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## SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

The American Library Association under the War Department has addressed a letter to all libraries of the country, setting forth the need of libraries and reading matter in the cantonments and larger encampments where sailors and soldiers will assemble.

It is desired to raise the sum of \$1,000,000 in cash for this purpose. The quota allotted to Portsmouth is \$600. Money and subscriptions will be received at the Public Library.

May the proverbial patriotic and liberal spirit of our community respond to this most worthy call. Sums from \$1.00 up gratefully received. The campaign for this purpose will last a week, and a quick response will materially assist the committee.

HANNAH G. FERNALD, Librarian.

THE WENTWORTH  
UNDER A NEW  
MANAGEMENT

Col. Judkins of Kineo, Me.,  
Took It Over This  
Month.

The Hotel Wentworth will be under new management in 1918. The famous hotel was taken over this month by Col. Charles A. Judkins who for the past eighteen years has been the manager of the Mount Kineo House and other associated interests at Kineo, Me. He has been in control of the Kineo property since 1899 in company with William M. Shea of Greenville, and Albert H. Shaw of Bath. It was known as the Kineo Company until 1910, when the Maine Central Railroad Company bought the place, which has since been run under the name of the Ricker Hotel Company.

The retirement of Manager Harry W. Priest from the active management of the Hotel Wentworth will be regretted by his hosts of local friends. He finds after 15 years of active hotel management the need of rest during his summers. He will continue as the active manager of the immense Hotel Carolina at Plover, N.H. Mr. Priest will spend part of his summers in Portsmouth and the remainder at the big hotel. He has won an enviable reputation as a hotel manager and has brought the large Wentworth into the front ranks.

O'LEARY GETS BY  
WAR BOARD

One Toe Gone, But He Wants  
to Fight and Is  
Accepted.

Owen Meredith O'Leary, the world wonder, appeared before the local draft board today for a belated physical examination for the National Army. The local board certified him and he was delighted. O'Leary is shy one large toe but the board did not consider that it would prevent him from being a good fighter besides he was anxious to go. He told the board that he could prove that he was physically qualified from past service in the Canadian army, where he did 30 mile hikes without the toe. He has spent as much time in Europe and Canada as he has in this country and a chance to go back and fight is just what he wanted. He was nearly mortally wounded when he heard the war board was hunting for him as a slacker. The failure to get mail and telegrams was the cause of his not being in touch with the board. When he found he was wanted he reported at Concord as soon as possible. Now, if the state board says O. K., O'Leary is off to the camp.

FIRST METHODIST  
LADIES' UNION  
ELECTS OFFICERS

The Ladies' Union of the First Methodist church at North Kittery met at the home of Mrs. Willard C. Chick, Monday, Sept. 24, at 2:30 o'clock. Owing to the withdrawal of some of the officers to the People's Society a few months ago, new ones were elected to fill the vacancies. The officers now are: President, Mrs. Harriet Pierce; vice president, Mrs. Anna Adams; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Haley; secretary, Mrs. Eva Picot.

The following new members were accepted: Mrs. Lulu Remick, Mrs. Clara Adams, Mrs. Margherita Lewis, Mrs. Pearl E. Pettigrew Chick. The entertainment committee for September and October are: Mrs. Margherita Lewis, chairman; Mrs. Lulu Remick, Mrs. Hepsie Pettigrew, Mrs. Pearl E. Pettigrew Chick.

Plans were made for a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pettigrew Thursday evening, Sept. 27, and on Monday, Oct. 1, a harvest supper will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard C. Chick from 7 to 9 p. m.

RAISING A  
FUND FOR THE  
"ROOKIES"

The "Rooky Fund" for the boys from Portsmouth is being collected for the use of the men at Camp Devens. Several well known citizens were about this morning making collections. A dollar from each was asked and in a short time \$100 was collected. If you haven't been asked and want to contribute, The Herald will direct you. The cash will be used by the men to purchase camp necessities.

REPAIRING TELEGRAPH LINES

The Western Union has started the

repair of the telegraph lines over the York Harbor and Beach railroad from the drawbridge at York Harbor to York Beach. The work is in the hands of Boston and Maine employees. The remainder of the line was renewed last year.

WILL FORM A  
HOME GUARD

The members of Lucullus Company, U. R. K. P., at a recent meeting voted to purchase rifles and perfect themselves in rifle drill. It is the intention of the members to follow the plan of the company in Manchester and tender their services to the city as a home guard.

As the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, is the only semi-military organization recognized by the United States government this step on the part of the local company seems eminently proper.

## LOCAL DASHES

A meeting of the City Council this evening.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 133.

Wilson's Greatest New England orchestra at Freeman's hall tonight.

The police certainly had a lively chase for Albert O'Toole on Monday.

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The war board examined five candidates on Monday, all transfer cases from other districts.

Sheehan's social dance, Thursday evening at Moose Club hall. Uniform men welcome. 31 W. St.

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The annual team match between the Portsmouth Country Club and the Island Pond Club of Haverhill will be played at Haverhill on Thursday.

Koleher trucks, C. E. Woods, Bow street.

Mrs. E. M. Fisher invites you to inspect the new modes in Fall and Winter Millinery, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 26 and 27, 313 State street.

A cordial invitation has been extended the public to attend a reception that will be tendered the Rev. J. M. Jenner, at the North Elliot Methodist church, Thursday evening.

Charles Sheehan, teacher of dancing as it is done in the dance hall today, is ready to give lessons private or in class. Popular prices. Call or write to 100 Bennett street.

On Monday afternoon the police were called to a house on School street where a pink tea was in progress. The woman of the house and her son were given a jitney ride to the police station.

The high school have their opening game of their foot ball schedule on Saturday when they will play Sanborn Seminary. The team looks good but they will have to round into shape fast for their second game with the St. Johns prep school.

E. R. Wingate and wife of the Wentworth are at Steep Falls, Me., on a hunting trip.

Miss Lols Bailey is passing her vacation in Newbury, Vermont, and the White Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin C. Mugridge of Deer street are rejoicing over the birth of a son, born on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Trafton and Mr. and Mrs. William T. Tilton motored to the White Mountains on Sunday.

John Kendrick Bangs, the noted author and lecturer, who summers at Cape Neddick, was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Manager Harry W. Priest of the Wentworth and Mrs. Priest have completed a tour of the White Mountains and are now in Maine.

INSPECTING STATIONS.

Supt. S. R. Sands of the coast guard stations of the first district left Monday for an inspection trip to the stations at Port Clyde, Boothbay Harbor and Popham Beach, Me., the trip to consume about a week. During Supt. Sands' absence Keeper William H. Charles of the Salisbury Beach Coast Guard station is assigned duty in the coast guard office in this city.

WE ARE GOING SOME

One of the three principal breweries in Portsmouth has closed its doors in anticipation of the dry wave of 1918 in New Hampshire but from all outward indications the city by the sea never was busier or more prosperous as a whole, than today.—Concord Monitor.

WANTED—A six-room house, modern improvements, for family of 5 adults and child. Address W. this office, no 425, 1w.

FOOTBALL  
SEASON OPENS  
ON SATURDAY

Portsmouth High will open its football season with a game on Saturday with Sanborn Seminary as its opponent, the game is to be played at Portsmouth. The team looks strong and should give a good account of itself. Doctors Hopkins and Hagley the coaches believing that the boys are showing mighty good form.

The schedule is as follows:

Sept. 29—Sanborn Seminary at Portsmouth.

Oct. 6—Manchester High at Manchester.

Oct. 13—Thornton Academy at Saco.

Oct. 20—Rochester High at Portsmouth.

Oct. 27—Open.

Nov. 3—Lewiston High at Lewiston.

Nov. 10—Dover High at Dover.

Nov. 17—Duxbury High at Portland, Me.

Nov. 24—Dover High at Portsmouth.

IMPORTANT CHANGES

Reports of New Train From

Portland and New Schedule for Bar Harbor Express.

Rumors in railroad circles have it that the Boston and Maine will make two important changes on the Portland division beginning with the winter schedule of train service which goes in operation on Sunday next.

The Bar Harbor express leaving Boston at 10:00 p. m., it is said, will run one hour earlier and will leave Boston at 9 p. m., arriving here about 10:30.

The other change spoken of is a late train from Portland to Boston, leaving Portland at 8 p. m.

MILLINERY OPENING

Miss E. M. Niles will open her millinery rooms to the public on Sept. 26th and 27th where she will display her pattern hats. Rooms will be open during Wednesday evening.

DISTRICT BOARD MEETS.

The district war board opened another session at Concord today and may continue until Friday or Saturday.

RYE, N. H.

FOR SALE

BRACKETT ROAD—Six-acre place with 8-room house with electric lights, electric motor, furnace and bath, barn, 10 minutes' walk to Lang's Corner.

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Miss Blanche Fleming of Boston will be the accompanist.

Miss Helen McIntire will render violin solos during intermission.

TICKETS 75 CENTS